(3) A STATEMENT THAT THE GROUP MASTER POLICY OR CONTRACT DETERMINES GOVERNING CONTRACTUAL PROVISIONS.

648.

EXCEPT FOR COVERAGE EXCLUDED UNDER A PREEXISTING CONDITION PROVISION, LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE SHALL PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR MENTAL-OR-NERVOUS-DISORDERS,-INCLUDING ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE OR OTHER SENILE DEMENTIA DISORDERS, WITHOUT ANY CONDITION, LIMITATION, OR REDUCTION OF COVERAGE NOT APPLICABLE TO COVERAGE FOR OTHER DISEASES OR ILLNESS.

649.

- (A) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, A PREMIUM UNDER LONG-TERM HEALTH INSURANCE MAY NOT BE INCREASED BASED ON THE AGE OF THE INSURED OR CERTIFICATE HOLDER.
- (B) WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE COMMISSIONER, AN INSURER MAY IMPOSE AN ACROSS-THE-BOARD INCREASE TO ALL LONG-TERM HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES OR CONTRACTS THE INSURER ISSUES OR DELIVERS IN THE STATE.
 - (C) THIS SECTION DOES NOT PROHIBIT AGE-BANDING.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1989.

Approved May 25, 1989.

CHAPTER 682

(House Bill 704)

AN ACT concerning

Civil Actions - Credit Agreements - Enforceability

FOR the purpose of providing that certain credit agreements are not enforceable unless they meet certain conditions; defining certain terms; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to the enforceability of certain credit agreements.

BY adding to

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings Section 5-315 Annotated Code of Maryland